

THE AGRICULTURAL FAIR.

We are gratified to learn that the most vigorous and active preparations are being made for the approaching State Fair. Within a small fraction of the necessary amount of funds, we learn, has been raised, and there can be no doubt that the residue will be promptly subscribed.

The large and spacious lot, in the Eastern suburbs of the City, formerly known as the Morus Multicaulis tract, has been secured, and the proper Committee will immediately proceed to have the necessary buildings and fixtures erected. The site selected is, perhaps, altogether, as eligible a one as could have been chosen.

We look for the very best results from this Inaugural Fair, followed up annually, as it will be, by others upon a more extended and improved scale. No institution is so well calculated to benefit the State and all the diversified pursuits of her people. Come up, then, Gentlemen Farmers, Mechanics and Manufacturers, and show the country what North Carolina can do by way of a beginning!